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SUBJECT: BACKGROUND ON SUBHI DAJANI/KULJAIN
ENGINEERS

REF: BEIRUT 0025

1. SABHI WAFI' DAJANI (LATEST WTDR ON SUBJECT'S FIRM BEING
RELAYED BEIRUT) IS LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE PHILADELPHIA BASED
ENGINEERING FIRM, KULJIAN. BASED ON REF REQUEST FROM
LEBANESE, KULJIAN INSTRUCTED DAJANI APPROACH LEBANESE
IN ORDER OBTAIN MORE DETAILS REGARDING LEBANESE REQUIRE-
MENTS. KULJAIN APPARENTLY TOOK THIS COURSE IN ORDER BE
BETTER PREPARED SATISFY LEBANESE NEEDS AND TO AVOID
UNNECESSARY EXPENSE SENDING AMERICAN CONSULTANT TO
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BEIRUT PRIOR COMPANY'S BEING ADVISED NATURE AND

SPECIFICATIONS JOB REQUIREMENTS.

2. SAJANI IS NOT RPT NO AN AMERICAN CITIZEN; HIS OFFICE MANGER, MUSA MURAD, IS PERMANENT ALEIN RESIDENT ("GREEN CARD HOLDER") OF U.S. ALTHOUGH DAJANI WEALTHY, PROMINENT, INFLUENTIAL LOCALLY, HE HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN SOME QUESTIONABLE DEALS. SUSPECT LEBANESE GOVERNMENT DOES NOT WANT GET EXTENSIVELY INVOLVED WITH DAJANI ANY MORE THAN GOL DESIRES CONTRACT WITH LEBANESE (OR OTHER ARAB) FIRM.

3. SUGGEST LEBANESE PROVIDE DAJANI WITH BASIC CONSULTING REQUIREMENTS NECESSARY WHICH DANJANI WILL FORWARD KULJIAN, BUT THAT LEBANESE INSIST THAT CONSULTING ENGINEER BE AMERICAN FROM PARENT COMPANY. GRAHAM UNQUOTE.
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